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SCHOOL & MASS EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

CORRIGENDUM

The 20th January, 2022

S.R.O. No. 82/2022— Consequent upon publication of the Odisha Civil Services (Fixation of Upper Age Limit) Amendment Rules, 2022 vide Notification No. 771/Gen, dated the 11th January, 2022 of Government in GA & PG Department, the following modifications are made in the Resolution No. 24293/SME, dated the 14th December, 2021 read with Addendum No. 24571/SME, dated the 17th December, 2021 & Corrigendum No. 24854/SME, dated the 21st December, 2021 issued by Government in School & Mass Education Department.

The contents of Para. 3.1. c of the Resolution No. 24293/SME, dated the 14th December, 2021 will be substituted with the following:

A candidate must have attained 21 years of age and must not be above 38 years of age as on the 1st day of the Calendar year in which the advertisement is published. This is applicable for the calendar years 2021, 2022 & 2023 :

Provided that relaxation in upper age limit shall be allowed to the candidates of different social/special categories in the following manner.

- i. In case of ST/SC/SEBC/Women by 5 years.
- ii. In case of persons with disabilities by 10 years.
- iii. In case of ex-military persons as per G.A. Department Notification No. 22586/Gen, dated the 16th October, 1985.

This relaxation in age as required under provisions of the ORV Act, the PwD Act and other relevant rules amended from time to time, may be modified with reference to above said Acts:

Provided that, a candidate who comes under more than one Category (Social or Special) mentioned above, he/she will be eligible for only one age relaxation benefit, which shall be considered most beneficial to him/her:

Provided further that, Persons with Disabilities shall be entitled to cumulative age relaxation of Ten years over and above the normal age relaxation specified in sub rule-3(a) and (b) of the Odisha Civil services (Fixation of upper age limit) Rules, 1989 as amended from time to time.

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By Order of the Governor

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